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 (for Noncontinuing nonprovisional
 Applications under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OBTAINING
 AND DEVELOPING TECHNOLOGY FOR
 MARKET

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 Application Identifier: Michael WATERS

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Noncontinuing Utility §1.53(b)-1-1000

() Priority of application number ____/____ filed on

_____ in _____ is claimed under
35 U.S.C. §119.

- () A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.
- () A MicroFiche Computer Program (Appendix) is enclosed.
- () A Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed.
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